

AMENDMENT NO. _____

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Purpose: To require the Secretary to conduct a study on
passive solar technologies.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. ALEXANDER
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- 1 On page 755, after line 25, add the following:
- 2 **SEC. 13 ____ . PASSIVE SOLAR TECHNOLOGIES.**
- 3 (a) **DEFINITION OF PASSIVE SOLAR TECHNOLOGY.—**
- 4 In this section, the term “passive solar technology” means
- 5 a passive solar technology, including daylighting, that—
- 6 (1) is used exclusively to avoid electricity use;
- 7 and
- 8 (2) can be metered to determine energy savings.
- 9 (b) **STUDY.—**The Secretary shall conduct a study to
- 10 determine—

1 (1) the range of levelized costs of avoided elec-
2 tricity for passive solar technologies;

3 (2) the quantity of electricity displaced using
4 passive solar technologies in the United States as of
5 the date of enactment of this Act; and

6 (3) the projected energy savings from passive
7 solar technologies in 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25 years
8 after the date of enactment of this Act if—

9 (A) incentives comparable to the incentives
10 provided for electricity generation technologies
11 were provided for passive solar technologies;
12 and

13 (B) no new incentives for passive solar
14 technologies were provided.

15 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 120 days after the date
16 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall submit to
17 Congress a report that describes the results of the study
18 under subsection (b).